## **6535 49<sup>th</sup> Ave NE** (beyond 49<sup>th</sup> Ave NE & NE 65<sup>th</sup>)



Categories entered: <u>Planting Strip</u>

Volunteers: Carol Robins & Shelby Lockhart Years: 3

Year Built: n/a Size:  $\sim 50$  feet

Description: Shelby has brought in orphan plants, mostly natives, and flowers from other people's discards, quite a few drought tolerant plants, and filled the area with them. It is a colorful, joyous, and varied grouping of specimens that constantly elicits comments from neighbors. Neighbors like walking by this strip and comment on it regularly. It is one of very few landscaped strips in the neighborhood and offers a model of drought tolerant plants and aesthetically pleasing design and color.

2004 Plant List: Blue Oat Grass, Vine maple, Peony, Daylily, Creeping Jenny, Blood grass, Campanula, Chives, Lavender, Senecio, Geranium, Astilbe, Dianthus, Mint, Nandina, Borgania, Hypericum, Roses, Strawberry, Festuca blanca, Variegated Iris.

SDOT observations: This mid-block planting strip contains a few very young trees.